



Community Interfaith Liaison Office **Department of Systems Management for Human Services**

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Community Interfaith Liaison Office (CIL) Bi-Weekly Update:

March 24th, 2003

An update from the Fairfax County Community Interfaith Liaison Office (CIL), serving Fairfax County faith communities and faith and community based organizations by sharing information, resources, training, linkages, partnership and collaboration opportunities, and coordinating human service-oriented meetings, workshops, and events for the Fairfax County faith community. The Community Interfaith Liaison Office is part of the Fairfax County Department of Systems Management for Human Services located at 12011 Government Center Parkway, Suite 220, Fairfax, Virginia 22035. For information, please telephone (703) 324-3453 or e-mail hprym1@fairfaxcounty.gov.

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Upcoming Events/Workshops/Conferences:

- **March 27th, 2003**

Evening Workshop
“Exploring Spiritual Solutions to Fear and Terror”
Thursday, March 27th, 2003
8:00p.m. – 9:30p.m.
Northern Virginia Community College, Annandale Campus
Ernst Cultural Community Center
Free Parking Available in Lot E

Speaker: Earline Shoemake of La Mesa, CA
Workshop Fee - \$15
Fee includes a copy of the book
"Science and Health with a Key to the Scriptures"
by Mary Baker Eddy

For more information call Susan Anderson at (703) 830-1340 or the Christian Science Reading Room at (703) 323-0022.

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▪ **March 28th, 2003**

The Virginia Small Business Development Center and its partners present...

1st Annual Multi-Cultural Business Conference
"Break the Wall, Break the Barriers,
Build a Bridge to Success"
Friday, March 28th, 2003
11:00a.m. – 3:30p.m.
Sheraton Premiere
8661 Leesburg Pike
Vienna, Virginia 22182

Cost: \$35.00

(Includes lunch, workshops, and resource guide package in preferred language)

The conference will bring together Hispanic, Korean, and Vietnamese business owners with professionals in key corporate and government agencies to provide the goods, services, and information most needed by entrepreneurs to become more successful in the American economy.

For more information, please call (703) 279-3349 or e-mail reachout@gmu.edu. Those interested in attending need to expedite their response, as late and walk-in registrations are subject to an additional fee.

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▪ **March 31st, 2003**

Presenting...

Community Discussion on the
Herndon Day Labor Site
Monday, March 31st, 2003
7:00p.m. – 9:00p.m.
Trinity Presbyterian Church
651 Dranesville Road
Herndon, Virginia 20170

For more information, please contact Kerrie Wilson, Executive Director, Reston Interfaith, by phone at (703) 787-3125 or e-mail riexecdr@erols.com or Sarah Ince, Director of Social Services, Reston Interfaith, by phone at (703) 787-3107 or e-mail at sarahince@hotmail.com.

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- **Every Tuesday, April 1st, 2003 - May 13th, 2003**

Stop Child Abuse Now (SCAN) of Northern Virginia presents...

Parenting Classes
"The ABC's of Parenting"
Every Tuesday, from April 1st, 2003 – May 13th, 2003
6:00p.m. – 8:30p.m.
Fairlington United Methodist Church
3900 King Street
Alexandria, Virginia 22302
Light Meal Provided

As life gets busier, take time out for yourself as a parent! Come to the next Parenting Class and be with other parents who are just like you!

Topics include: ***"Managing your Child's Behavior, Helping your Child Succeed in School, and Understanding Child Development."***

Childcare is available. Transportation is available for Alexandria residents. Door Prizes!

Pre-registration is required. Call SCAN at (703) 836-1820 or e-mail pmartinez@scanva.org.

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